

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| Applicant | : Jan Weber et al. | Art Unit | : 3731 |
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| Title | : MAGNETIC DEVICE WITH MARKERS FOR MAGNETIC RESONANCE VISIBILITY | | |

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PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated October 2, 2006, be extended for three months to and including April 2, 2007.

The fee in the amount of \$1020 is being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System (EFS) by way of Deposit Account authorization.

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Respectfully submitted,

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